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PRICE 2 CENTS.

MEDICINAL



The diver dies without air to breathe. The consumptive dies without lungs to breathe the air, or of lungs rendered incapable of breathing by disease. The blood as it flows in and out of the lungs indicates the consumptive's progress. As the lungs grow weaker less oxygen is inhaled and the blood changes from scarlet to purple. Oxygen is the life of the blood as the blood is the life of the body.

The effect of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery upon weak lungs is to strengthen them, to enable the full oxygenation of the blood, arrest the progress of disease and heal the inflamed tissues. Lung diseases have been cured by "Golden Medical Discovery" in cases where deep-seated cough, frequent hemorrhage, emaciation, weakness, and night sweats have all pointed to a fatal termination by consumption.

"Some years ago I was almost a helpless victim of that dread disease—consumption," writes Mr. Chas. Froese, P. M., of Sika, White Co., Ind. "I was confined to my room for several months; my friends and neighbors had given up all hope of my recovery, until one day a friend advised me to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and after I had taken the contents of the second bottle I began to improve. After taking four bottles I was, I honestly believe, delivered from the grave and entirely cured. I am now a strong and hearty man."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cleanse the clogged system from accumulated impurities.

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In all its stages there should be cleanliness.

Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.

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Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large size, 50 cents at drug stores or by mail; trial size, 10 cents by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren street, New York.

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This famous remedy does for the stomach that which it is unable to do for itself, even if but slightly disordered or overburdened.

Kodol

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THE GRIDIRON CLUB.

The annual dinner of the Gridiron Club in Washington Saturday night was another record-breaker in the way of unique entertainments.

The dining hall of the Arlington Hotel was never so handsomely decorated, for besides the flowers upon the table and the palms and ferns about the room a novel arrangement of electric lights produced a superb effect among the decorations.

Among the 200 guests and members were Ambassadors, Senators and Representatives, Governors, high officers of the army and navy, prominent men in the financial and business world, editors and proprietors of great newspapers and scientists and men of letters.

The menu was a calendar, each month illustrated with the picture of a prominent guest, whose business or personal characteristic was indicated in a jangling rhyme.

Inauguration of the new president of the club, Mr. William E. Curtis, afforded an opportunity for reverting to the part Mr. Curtis took in securing the attendance of Spanish grandees for the World's Fair at Chicago. The pomp and ceremony of the Spanish court of 1492, mingled with twentieth century ideas and events, made it a showy and laughable affair. One of the questions propounded to Columbus was, "What is a trust?" to which he answered, "A bunch of money surrounded by water."

Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan, one of the guests of the club, was made the subject of quite the best burlesque of the evening. For the alleged benefit of the New York financiers the Gridiron Club installed a "bucket shop" as an adjunct to Mr. Morgan's office. The manager and "chair warmers" kept up a lively fire of questions and answers, in which various guests were placed upon the gridiron.

The discussion of available presidential candidates was a feature of this part of the entertainment.

The burlesque concluded with a song dedicated to Mr. Morgan. The experiments which Dr. Wiley, of the Agricultural Department, is making with borax as a preservative afforded another vehicle to give a number of prominent guests a gridironing. It was charged that Dr. Wiley was conducting an experiment at the dinner, and two members of the club, personating Professor Wiley and his assistant, showed the effects of borax on the brain. A "poison squad" was brought out and the stethoscope and x-rays applied to their heads. The marvelous things which they were found to be thinking about, as told by the operators, created great amusement.

The initiation of Mr. Joseph K. Ohl, of the Atlanta Constitution, and Mr. John P. Miller, of the Baltimore Sun, who were caused to personate leaders of the "dilly whites" and "black and tans," respectively, and the witty incidental references to recent southern appointments, made a distinct hit.

ELECTRICITY SUPERSEDES DIVINING.

Rod.—Science has at last outdone the divining-rod man, with his curious methods of locating running water under the earth by means of witchazel wands. Electricity is the agent by which science has accomplished the defeat of the mysterious power generally accredited to the divining rod. Sensitive electrical appliances have been invented by which not only the water beneath the earth's surface to be located, but its volume and direction may be determined. These appliances are designed to catch the delicate vibrations caused by the subterranean running streams, and to transmit these vibrations to the surface of the earth where their intensity may be estimated. Officials of the Geological Survey in Washington have been studying the new invention, and are of the opinion that it will prove of vast benefit and value to the farmer and irrigator. Wells may be driven with a certainty of finding a plentiful supply of water and the losses caused by dry sinks will be thus avoided. Rods are driven into the earth where there are indications that water should be found, and through them the vibrations are caught and transformed into sound waves, by means of the electrical device. To verify the records of the electrical instruments the volume of sound waves thus produced is compared with the total of minor vibration from other causes in areas of the same size in which it is known no water exists. There is a prospect that oil may likewise be located in a similar way, as the electrical instruments are sufficiently sensitive to catch the vibrations of running water at great depths.

WILL RENOUNCE HIS SUCCESSION.

A curious story widely told in the provincial and Berlin papers is that the Crown Prince of Saxony is determined to renounce his succession to the throne in favor of his son George, who is 10 years of age. The reason given is that the military code of honor does not permit a husband wronged, as he has been, to remain in the service. The Crown Prince, as commander of the First Army Corps of Saxony and as the future com-

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1110 E. Main St., RICHMOND, VA.
Or R. E. White, District Agent, 115 S. Fairfax St., Alexandria, Va.

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A NEW REMEDY.

The old friends of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will be pleased to know that the manufacturers of that preparation have gotten out a new remedy called Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and that it is meeting with much success in the treatment of constipation, biliousness, sick headache, impaired digestion and like disorders. These Tablets are easier to take and more pleasant in effect than pills, then they not only move the bowels, but improve the appetite and correct any disorders of the stomach and liver. For sale by Richard Gibbons, druggist.

Ely's Liquid Cream Balm is an old friend in a new form. It is prepared for the particular benefit of sufferers from nasal catarrh who are used to an atomizer in spraying the diseased membranes. All the healing and soothing properties of Cream Balm are retained in the new preparation. It does not dry up the secretions. Price, including spraying tube, 75 cents. At your druggist or Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York, will mail it.

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HIGH SPEED ON RAILROADS.—The Empire State Express on the New-York Central Railroad a day or two ago made record speed. The run was made between Palmyra and Macedon, N. Y., a distance of 7.29 miles, in four minutes flat, or at a rate of 109.35 miles an hour. The run was made with a new engine, which had just come from the shops, and drawing four cars. The distance between Albany and Buffalo, 302 miles, was covered in 295 minutes. The seven miles between Port Byron and Savannah were made at the rate of 105.75 miles an hour. For many stretches, where as straight, clear track presented itself, and conditions were peculiarly favorable, the pace set by the powerful locomotive was terrific. Only twice has the speed which was attained on the trip between Palmyra and Macedon been beaten and only once at the distance. The Empire State Express in May, 1893, covered one mile, running into Crittenden, in 32 seconds, or at the rate of 112.5 miles an hour, and a train on the Plant system, in March, 1901, ran from Fleming to Jacksonville, a distance of five miles, in 2 minutes and 30 seconds, or at the rate of 120 miles an hour.

COAL AND WOOD.

We have removed our office to 310 KING STREET (our former location), where all orders received for COAL AND WOOD will have our prompt attention.

W. A. SMOOT & CO.

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WM. LEWIS ALLEN, MANAGER.

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Leave Washington, week days, 6:10, 6:40, 7:30, 8:30, 9:00, 10:00, 10:30, 11:30 a. m., 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:15, 4:15, 5:00, 5:30 and 6:30 p. m.

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